Houser receives award

Mrs. Lina Trent Houser has been awarded gold wings by Piedmont Airlines for the completion of fifteen years of service as a flight attendant with the airline. She is currently based in Roanoke, Virginia.

Lina and her husband Earl, were invited to Winston-Salem, N.C., Piedmont's headquarters, for the celebration of this award. They attended the president's reception at the Benton Convention Center followed by the service banquet and dance.

Earl is also employed by Piedmont Airlines as a passenger service agent in Richmond.

Cost-sharing tree seedling program continues

The Glatfelter Pulp Wood Company, Fredricksburg, announces the continuance of a cost-sharing tree seedling program for landowners in Central Virginia and the Virginia portion of the Delmarva Peninsula. Included are the counties of Accomack, Albermarle, Amherst, Appomattox, Buckingham, Culpeper, Cumberland, Fauquier, Fluvanna, Goochland, Louisa, Madison, Nelson, Northampton, Nottoway, Orange, Prince Edward, Powhatan and Spotsylvania.

The Glatfelter firm owns and manages woodlands in Virginia to help supply wood fiber to the P. H. Glatfelter Company's pulp and paper mill in Spring Grove, Pennsylvania.

The Company will match the purchase of up to 20,000 loblolly pine seedlings by a landowner under the following conditions:

(1) the landowner must be an individual, non-industrial woodland owner;

(2) the planting site has been satisfactorily prepared by accepted forest practices (or is an old field) and has been aproved for planting by a Virginia Division of Forestry forester;

(3) the planting site must be located in one of the counties listed above.

The Glatfelter program has an overall dollar limitation. Seedling orders will be accepted by the Forest Service Division on a first come basis until the Glatfelter program limit has been reached. After that, the entire payment for orders will be responsibility of the landowners.

To secure a seedling order form contact your local Virginia Division of Forestry office of the The Glatfelter Pulp Wood Company, P. O. Box 868, Fredericksburg, Va. 22401, telephone (703) 373-9431. Residents of Accomack and Northampton counties contact The Glatfelter Pulp Wood Company, P. O. Box 1971, Salisbury, MD 21801, telephone (301) 642-3163.

Is insurance underwriter

Terri Conrad cited

Terrie Conrad of Appomattox has been awarded a Diploma in Life Insurance Marketing by the Life Underwriter Training Council.

Conrad, agent of the Appomattox County Farm Bureau, represents the Virginia Farm Bureau Insurance Companies.

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CPEC helps veterans seeking employment

There's new help for veterans seeking work in the Lynchburg-Danville-Martinsville areas. The Central Piedmont Employment Consortium (CPEC) now offers the Veterans' Employment Enhancement Program for veterans in and around those cities.

Money for the program came through Title IV-C of the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA). The Department of Labor has authorized The Central Virginia Piedmont Employment Consortium to administer the program through JTPA.

Service areas include the cities of Lynchburg, Danville, Bedford, and Martinsville, and the counties of Amherst, Appomattox, Bedford, Campbell, Franklin, Henry, Patrick, and Pittsylvania.

The program provides veterans with information on qualifications and training requirements in over 300 career fields, apprenticeship and on-the-job training programs, local and state labor markets, as well as information regarding other benefits and services available to veterans.

The program also provides veterans with an in-depth assessment of their interests, abilities, skills, and aptitudes. Trained counselors assist the veterans in a self-appraisal process using aptitude tests, interest inventories, and individual interviews. This process enables the veterans to explore their career options and to clarify their career goals, by matching their interests, skills and aptitudes to an appropriate job or training situation.

Employability skills training is another service the program provides. It includes job search techniques, resume writing information, and marketing techniques to maximize the veterans competiveness in the job market.

The program coordinates placement efforts with training facilities such as the community colleges, and job placement agencies such as the Virginia Employment Commission.

The main objective of the program is to assist the veterans in their attempt to identify the abilities and interests they would like to utilize in a job and match those with a particular field of employment, thereby increasing the likelihood that veterans will become involved in longterm, satisfying employment. This program is unique because it provides the veterans with in-depth assistance that many agencies serving veterans with limited staff and time cannot provide.

The Act (JTPA) targets eligible veterans as those who: (1) served in the military during the Vietnam Era, (2) have a service-connected disability, or (3) have been discharged from the military within 12 months from the date they enrolled in the program. There is no eligibility requirement to participate in the program, and it is open to both employed and unemployed veterans, at no cost to them.

Interested veterans may call a counselor at one of the three offices: (804) 845-4566 in Lynchburg, (804) 792-7467 in Danville, or (703) 638-1936 in Martinsville.

Program on diabetes slated

The community Diabetes Education Program presents "Diabetes and Dental Health" on Thursday, Oct. 11, 1984 at 7 p.m. The presentation will be at the Lynchburg Health Department in classroom 2. The guest speaker will be Ron Hendricksen, D.D.S.

This program is presented free of charge and is co-sponsored by Lynchburg General Hospital, Virginia Baptist Hospital and the Lynchburg Health Department.

BCHS offers program on health careers

A special program on career opportunities in the field of health will be given at Buckingham County High School at 9 a.m. Oct. 18, 1984.

Ms. Lynn Laning, from the Health Careers Program of the Virginia Council on Health and Medical Care will be guest speaker.

The assembly program will include a slide/sound presentation describing over 50 positions in health. Students will be given the chance to ask questions and to obtain further written information on any health career.

The Virginia Council on Health and Medical Care is a voluntary, non-profit organization located in Richmond, Virginia. The Health Careers Program works closely with hospitals, health professional organizations and guidance counselors to stimulate interest in the health field and to motivate young people to consider a health career.

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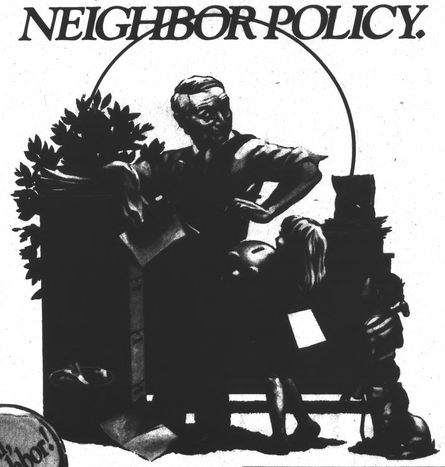

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Rocks news notes

By CASSIE BALDWIN

Rocks: Sept. 24-Nice crowd at Rocks on Sunday.

It was good to have Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Morton Mann from Richmond to join our church family today. We welcome them.

A number from Rocks attended the meeting at Bethel Church on Sunday afternoon for the Mexican Farm Workers. The G.A.'s and Acteens went along also.

The Boy's Choir from Patrick Henry Boy's Home will present a program of music during the evening service on Oct. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elder of Texas are here this week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Ollie Elder and sister, Margaret Payne of Pamplin.

Mr. Robert Sanders continues in Duke hospital in North Carolina. His son Bruce from college was here

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Letters

Paper drive successful

Editor:

The Appomattox County Historical Society would like to express appreciation to everyone who made our fall paper drive a success.

By saving your newspapers, you are helping preserve more of our trees in Appomattox County.

Please continue to save papers for the spring paper drive, sponsored by the Appomattox Garden Club and a fall paper drive sponsored by the Appomattox County Historical Society.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated in "Keeping Appomattox Green."

Cecil Crawley,
President, Appomattox County Historical Society

Vote on zoning

Editor:

The voters of Appomattox County have an opportunity to express their feelings about zoning on the Nov. 6 ballot.

Appomattox is the only county in the state granted authority from the General Assembly to go directly to the voters to find out if they want zoning for their county.

Usually that decision is left solely in the hands of the Board of Supervisors in each county.

The wording on the Nov. 6 ballot is simple: "Shall Appomattox County have a zoning ordinance?" If the majority votes yes, the decision will be binding on the Board of Supervisors and require those elected officials to pass a zoning ordinance.

If the majority vote "no", the supervisors still may enact zoning if they decide it is in the best interest of the county.

To explain what zoning can or cannot do, the Board of Supervisors and Planning Commission are sponsoring four workshops in different areas of the county. They will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday Oct. 16, in the county courthouse, for Southside District; on Monday, Oct. 22 at Oakville School for the Stonewall District; on Tuesday, Oct. 23 at old Pamplin Elementary School (Brandy Ann Dress Factory) for the Town of Pamplin City, and on Monday, Oct. 29, at the courthouse for the Cloverhill District.

I urge you to attend at least one of these zoning workshops to get the facts on zoning and ask your specific questions.

If you have questions about zoning please contact me or William R. Britton, special assistant to the Board of Supervisors.

Sincerely,
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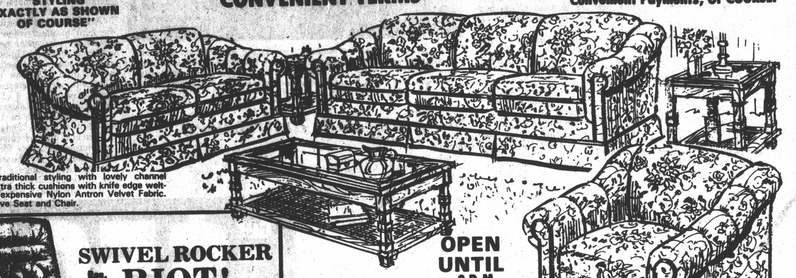

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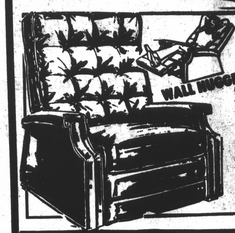

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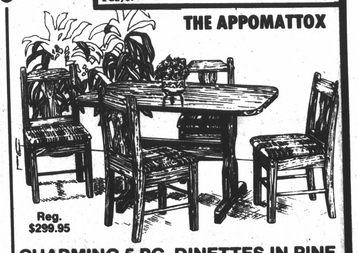

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